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1. NOW THAT NEGOTIATIONS CONCERNING SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY
(CHAPTER 3) PORTION TRANCHE III NMA PROGRAM ARE WELL
UNDER WAY, DEPARTMENT BELIEVES IT APPROPRIATE THAT CON-
SIDERATION BE GIVEN TO PLANNING FOR EDUCATIONAL/CUL-
TURAL (CHAPTER 2) PORTION OF PROGRAM.
2. DEPARTMENT BELIEVES NMA EXCHANGE PROGRAM, ADMINISTERED
BY FULBRIGHT COMMISSION, SHOULD CONTINUE AT APPROXIMATE-
LY SAME LEVEL AS UNDER TRANCHE II. DEPARTMENT NOTES
THAT CHAPTER 2 BASES AGREEMENT SPEAKS OF "EXCHANGES"
SIGNIFYING THAT NMA EXCHANGE PROGRAM SHOULD BE TWO-WAY
FLOW RATHER THAN BASICALLY ONE-WAY FLOW IT HAS BEEN SO
FAR. DEPARTMENT WOULD LIKE TO SEE SOME AMERICAN SCHO-
LARS, RESEARCHERS AND LECTURERS IN SPAIN AND WOULD APP-
RECIATE EMBASSY EFFORTS IN THIS DIRECTION.
3. DEPARTMENT UNDERSTANDS SPANISH NEED AND DESIRE PLACE
HEAVY EMPHASIS ON SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY AS EVIDENCED BY

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SPLIT OF TRANCHE III INTO \$2.2 MILLION FOR SCIENCE AND

TECHNOLOGY AS WELL AS FACT THAT IN ADDITION TWO-THIRDS

TRANCHE II NMA EDUCATIONAL GRANTS HAVE BEEN FOR PERSONS IN SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY DISCIPLINES. DEPARTMENT BELIEVES PROPORTION OF SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY IN LATTER SHOULD BE LOWERED IN FAVOR HIGHER PERCENTAGE GRANTS IN ARTS, HUMANITIES AND RELATED DISCIPLINES. DOES EMBASSY BELIEVE THERE WOULD BE SPANISH RESISTANCE TO A DEGREE OF CHANGE IN PROGRAM AS OUTLINED ABOVE?

4. DEPARTMENT FURTHER UNDERSTANDS STERLING INSTITUTE WISHES EXTEND ITS CONTRACT (EXPIRING MARCH 31, 1974) TO DESIGN PPB SYSTEM FOR MINISTRY EDUCATION. EXTENSION THIS OR CONTRACT RELATED TO ADVANCED EDUCATIONAL MANAGEMENT COURSES FOR MINISTRY OF EDUCATION WOULD BE FUNDED FROM \$.8 MILLION. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY COMMENTS UTILITY AND EFFECTIVENESS STERLING'S PROGRAMS. STRONG FEELING HERE (INCLUDING SPANISH EMBASSY) THAT STERLING OPERATIONS NOT WORTH COST (TOTAL VALUE STERLING CONTRACTS FUNDED FROM TRANCHES I AND II \$441,100.) AND FROM TIME-TO-TIME QUESTIONS HAVE ARISEN CONCERNING THEIR PERTINANCY TO THE SPANISH SITUATION. RUSH

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